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SUBJECT: ADMINISTRATION TESTIMONY ON GREECE, TURKEY AND
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1. SECRETARY VANCE, SECRETARY OF DEFENSE BROWN AND

CHAIRMAN-DESIGNATE JONES OF JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF TESTIFIED APRIL 6 BEFORE HIRC ON ADMINISTRATION'S FY 1979 SECURITY ASSISTANCE PROPOSALS FOR GREECE, TURKEY AND CYPRUS. TEXTS OF STATEMENTS HAVE BEEN SENT TO ADDRESSEES VIA SEPTELS. DEPARTMENT WILL FORWARD EXTRACTS FROM TRANSCRIPT TO ADDRESSEES AS SOON AS AVAILABLE.

2. IN RESPONSE TO QUESTION CONCERNING US EXPECTATIONS RE TURKISH CYPRIOT PROPOSALS, SECRETARY RESPONDED ALONG FOLLOWING LINES:

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3. IN RESPONSE TO QUESTION RE STATUS OF US INSTALLATIONS IN TURKEY, SECRETARY RESPONDED ALONG FOLLOWING LINES:

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IN ADDITION, WE WILL ALSO EXPLORE WITH THE GOVERNMENT OF TURKEY THE POSSIBILITY OF IMMEDIATE REOPENING UPON REPEAL OF THE EMBARGO ON AN INTERIM BASIS EVEN BEFORE THE NEW ARRANGEMENTS ARE FULLY WORKED OUT. UNQTE. VANCE

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